

**SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR ARRANGING DIGITAL CERTIFICATES  
ON A HARDWARE TOKEN**

ABSTRACT OF THE DISCLOSURE

A system for arranging multiple certificates on a hardware token. A user may have several encryption certificates for different systems or uses. These can be stored on a single hardware token which is machine readable. Since the Windows 2000 systems require that the single sign-on certificate be placed first on the token, a method is provided for rearranging certificates so that the single sign-on certificate is always the first to be read.